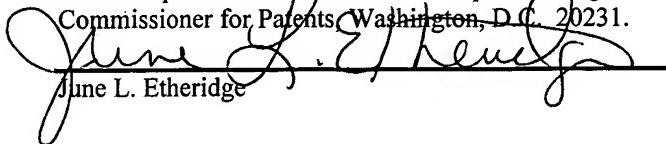




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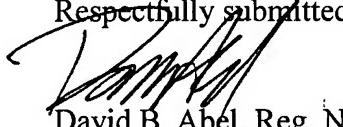
Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) mailed March 30, 2004 (copy attached), enclosed herewith are the following documents:

1. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form; and
2. Check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge fee.
3. Executed Assignment
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1853 during the pendency of prosecution of this application. Should such additional fees be associated with an extension of time, applicant respectfully requests that this paper be considered a petition therefor. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed for the Deposit Account, should it be needed.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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